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Sunday eve

So funny Nizari was decidedly the most popular of the critics liked it least - it went better than a day time - less piano!

Dearest Mum -

Well, the first concert is over - & really was a great success with the people who were there - we clear about $60 american each - ~~and~~ They all think that was a marvellous audience for a first concert & all think, according to precedents, that Thursday will be packed - I played my best - one slip in Paganini, but only slight & noone would have known but a fiddler - & Franck went well - after Pag. about 6-7 recalls - & interruptions through the entire tuttis! much to her infuriation!! Franck 5 or 6 recalls - & flowers, baskets from the manager for each - roses red & white - & another huge bunch from the theatre manager -

Then the group - Immense applause & shouting after the Mozart! - then Brahms Waltz encore & the Hungarian Dance - booming heaps - then Camp decided I was not to play more - too small an audience & they must come again! I could easily have played again - but I was tired & afraid of spoiling good records! My heart pounds so after much exertion - the altitude they all say - Mr has the same - It is allright if one rests inbetween - some of those attacks come on in the train & really rather scared me! But it goes off & everyone has the same at first - Then all the swarthy ones came in for autographs, & see the violin etc - most enthusiastic & When we left (through the pons entrance, there is no side!) a whole raft of males clapped & hooved & cheered! Then we walked across the street to the Opera's auto, (parking regulations strict) & here they all

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followed in a body, watched us pack in (5 + 2 dogs!) + then cheered + waved hats again - the Goes very impressed - + about 20 people all say much finer than Heifetz !! In fact that is all I hear - so I only hope his money will follow -

Then a Mrs Bonilla (old friend of Mrs.) asked us to drive out right then to their country place + have lunch + rest in the garden which we did after changing - A glorious garden - terraces, streams roses, old trees - peppers etc pergolas, we ate out of doors - no flies or insects - Nice nice mexican tortillas salad, fruit, cake, wine + cocktails galore, they just can't get over it I don't drink - Mrs Bonilla a very nice English woman - really nice + he

a charming old Mexican - It was
lovely - these Brs of Montreal Weldons
were there too - & drove us afterwards
to country Club - It is all so
like Java - only not that heat - & then
a flavour of Chinese villages too, so you
can picture it - The Weldons will
try & get Mexican singers tomorrow for
me - real peasant ones -
A journalist asked for an interview
in the morning & Campos comes to
pay! (Campos & Toledo -)
They seem very decent -
Well - now I'll go to sleep - & send
this tomorrow, with the notices -
A woman from Pekin has just been
up - great chum of Mrs W's & said
all the people round her in the
hall were comparing Hetzels & me!
to the disadvantage of Mrs H!! Funny
isn't it! -
Weldons are typical hard drinking
(very kind too) Canadians, you know
the kind -
Much love -
Kathleen -

Universal good when one substracts his bowls
over the ado - & the English complained - it
wasn't advertized enough!!